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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 6, 2004, please amend the aboveidentified application as follows and consider the following remarks. Attached hereto is a petition for a two month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to extend the period of response to March 6, 2005. Applicants consider this response to have been timely filed pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.8 and § 1.10.

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